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SUBJ: LABOR: ALLEGED MEXICAN DESIRE TO ELIMINATE U.S. ROLE IN ORIT

1. CARLOS LUNA, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO PRESIDENT OF VENEZUELAN CONFEDERATION OF WORKERS (CTV), HAS TOLD LABATT THAT HE BELIEVES THERE IS A WELL DEFINED MOVEMENT WITHIN MEXICAN CONFEDERATION OF WORKERS (CTM) TO REMOVE U.S. INFLUENCE FROM ORIT. LUNA BASES HIS BELIEF ON REMARKS MADE BY MEXICAN LABOR LEADER JUAN DIAZ AGUIRRE WHO IS NOW WORKING IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC AND WITH WHOM LUNA TALKED RECENTLY IN BOGOTA. DIAZ REPORTEDLY CLAIMS THAT MEXICAN GOVERNMENT HAS PRIVATELY EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS TO PROVIDE ORIT WITH WHATEVER FUNDS WOULD BE LOST BY U.S. LABOR'S WITHDRAWAL FROM THAT ORGANIZATION. ANTI - U.S. MOVEMENT IS REPORTEDLY SUPPORTED BY ORIT EMPLOYEE BASILIO GONZALEZ HERMOSILLA.

2. LUNA IS OCCASIONALLY PRONE TO INTERPRET EVENTS IN OVERLY CON-SPIRATORIAL MANNER BUT EMBASSY BELIEVES HIS EXPERIENCE AND POSITION MAKE THESE ALLEGATIONS WORTH REPORTING. MCCLINTOCK

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